

HOUSE BILL No. 2438

By Committee on Elections

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1 AN ACT concerning county treasurers; amending K.S.A. 19-501 and
2 repealing the existing section.

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4 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

5 Section 1. K.S.A. 19-501 is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-
6 501. Each county treasurer elected at the general election in ~~1976~~2008
7 shall serve until the second ~~Tuesday in October of 1981~~Monday in
8 January of 2013 and until a successor is elected and qualified. At the
9 general election in ~~1980~~2016, and every four (4) years thereafter, a county
10 treasurer shall be elected in each county for a term of four (4) years,
11 commencing on the second ~~Tuesday in October~~Monday in January
12 following the election, and until a successor is elected and qualified. Such
13 county treasurer ~~shall~~, before entering upon the duties; of the office, *shall*
14 execute to the state of Kansas a corporate surety bond issued by a
15 company authorized to do business in this state and approved by the board
16 of county commissioners in an amount of not less than ~~twenty-five~~
17 ~~thousand dollars (\$25,000)~~\$25,000. Such bond, with the approval of the
18 board endorsed thereon by the clerk, shall be filed in the office of the
19 county clerk. ~~In the event~~ *If* the board of commissioners ~~shall not be in~~
20 ~~session~~*does not meet* in time for any county treasurer to present such bond
21 for their approval as above specified, or such county treasurer shall be
22 unable, for any reason, to present such bond at any regular meeting of the
23 board after due notice of such county treasurer's election, such county
24 treasurer may present such bond to the ~~chairman~~*chairperson* or clerk of
25 the board for approval, and the approval endorsed thereon shall have the
26 same effect as if done by the board of county commissioners. In the event
27 the amount of the bond is approved by only the ~~chairman~~*chairperson* or
28 the clerk of the board, it shall not be less than twice the amount of all
29 moneys directed by the board to be levied in the county during the
30 previous year.

31 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 19-501 is hereby repealed.

32 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
33 publication in the statute book.

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